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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

LIN et al.

Serial No.: 09/849,400

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For: CHEMOSENSITIZING AGENTS

AGAINST CHLOROQUINE RESISTANT PLASMODIUM FALCIPARUM AND METHODS OF MAKING AND USING

THEREOF

Art Unit: 1624

Examiner: S. Patel

Atty. Docket: 034047.008US (01-06)

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RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.116

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action mailed 23 December 2003, the response to which is set to expire on 23 March 2004. Claims 32, 33, and 49-57 were pending. Claims 32 and 33 were rejected and claims 49-57 were objected to. Entry of the amendment and reconsideration are requested pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.116 in order to place the claims in a condition for allowance or in a better condition for appeal.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 4 of this paper.